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Madam Speaker:

The Health and Human Services Committee recommends **H.B. 237**, CHILD WELFARE AMENDMENTS, by Representative W. Harper, be replaced and reports a favorable recommendation on **1st Sub. H.B. 237**, CHILD WELFARE AMENDMENTS with the following amendments:

- 1. Page 36, Line 1094:
  - 1094 (b) may , if a suitable placement is not already available, order the division to conduct a reasonable search , in addition to any search that occurred when the child was initially taken into protective custody, to determine whether there
- 2. Page 40, Line 1230:
  - 1230 (ii) except as provided in Subsection (10)(c), conduct a visit with the client in conjunction with the visit of a Division of Child
- 3. Page 40, Lines 1231 through 1232:
  - and Family Services caseworker.
    - (c) A guardian ad litem may meet with a client during a team meeting or court hearing when a Division of Child and Family Services caseworker is present.
  - 1232 [(11) (a) An attorney guardian ad litem shall maintain current and accurate
- 4. Page 41, Line 1239:
  - 1239 [(11)] (12) (a) Except as provided in [Subsection (11)(b)] {Subsections (11) and} Section (12)(b),

Respectfully,

Paul Ray Committee Chair

Voting: 6-1-2

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